



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : McClelland
Appl. No. : 10/820,140
Filed : 4/8/04
Title : APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR TIGHTENING LACES OR OTHER
CORDS
Grp./A.U. : 3677
Examiner : Robert J. Sandy

Docket No.: 14671

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

It is respectfully requested that a 3 month extension of time, until September 29, 2006, be granted in which to respond to the Final Office Action dated March 31, 2006. The statutory fee of \$510.00 for the 3 month extension is attached. Any deficiencies in the extension of time fees may be charged to Deposit Account No. 04-1577.

Respectfully submitted,

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